#### From the Richmond Sentinel. One Day Later from the United States.

Through the kindness of a friend we received at a late hour last night the Baltimore

Gazette, of the 22d inst.,
There are several accounts of "Peace Negotiations"-some of which are marvellous .-The following appears to be the most probaple version of the story:

THE SO-CALLED PEACE NEGOTIA-TIONS BETWEEN MR. GREELY AND CERTAIN CONFEDERATE AGENTS IN CANADA-THEY, ASK A SAFE CONDUCT TO WASHINGTON-THE PRESIDENT'S REPLY.

Borrato, Jaly 21. The correspondence with the Rebel agents show that Messrs. Clay. Holcombe and Saunders asked on the 12th of Horace Greeley, the protection of the President or Secretary of War to visit Washing-

Mr. Greeley, in reply, on the 18th, under-standing that they were the bearers of propositions from Richmond, tooking to Peace, tendered a safe conduct of the President .-They replied that they were not accredited with such propositions, but in the confiden-tial employ of their Government, and felt authorized to declare that if the circumstances disclosed in this correspondence be communicated to Richmond, they or other egen-ticmen would be invested with full powers.

They ask a safe conduct to Washington, and thence to Richmond. Greeley answers that the state of facts being materially different from that understood to exist by the President, it was advisable for him to communicate by telegraph with him, and obtain instructions.

After some further correspondence in relation to Mr. Greeley's communication with President Lincoln, the following was received from the President: To Hon. Horace Greeley:

#### EXECUTIVE MANSION, ? WASHINGTON, July 18, 1864, To Whom it May Concern:

· Any proposition which embraces the restoration of peace, the integrity of the whole Union and the abandenment of slavery, and which comes by and with the authority that can conterol the armies now at war against the United States, will be received and considered by the Executive Government of the United States, and will be met by liberal terms on other substantial and collateral points, and the bearers thereof shall have sale conduct both

[Signed] ABRAHAM LINCOLN. Maj Hay, on the 20th, in a note, asks Messrs. Holcombe and others, if they have any communication to send to Washington by him.

Holcombe replies on the 21st, regretting that he has been delayed by any expectation of an answer to his communication delivered to the President of the United States, adding that the communication was accepted as a response to the letter of Clay and Holcombe to Mr. Greeley, and to that gentleman has an of such work (as they would call it), but I answer been transmitted.

The letter to Greeley says: After alulid to the tender of safe conduct to Washington on the hypothesis that we were duly accredited from Richmond as bearers of propositions looking to the establishment of peace, says that this assertion was accepted asan evidence of an unexpected but me gratifying change them. They are untiring in their efforts in in the policy of the President. A change our behalf, and well I know with what jay the minute in the conclusion of a peace, mutually just, honorable, and advantageous to the dition but that we should be duly accredited from Richmond as bearers of propositions looking to the establishment of peace, thus proposing a basis for a conference as comprehensive as we could desire, it seemed to us that the President opened a door which had previously been closed against the Confederate States, for a fall interchange of sentimene, a free disensation of conflicting opinions, and an untrammelled effort to remove all causes of controversy by liberal negotia-

We, indeed, could not claim the benefit of a safe conduct in a character which we had no right to assume and had never affected to boun and Moody, are also very kind and attenpossess, but the uniform declarations of our tive to those in their respective wards. . . Executive and Congress, and their thrice repeated and as often repulsed attempts to open negotiations, furnish sufficient pledge that this conciliatory manifestation on the part of the President of the United States would be met by them in a temper of equal

We had, therefore, no hesitation in declaring that it his correspondence were communicated to the President of the Confederate States, he would promptly embrace the opportunity, presented for seeking a peaceful solation of this unhappy strife We feel confident you must share our profound regret that the spirit which dictated the first step towards peace had not continued to animate the councils of your President.

"Had the Representatives of the two Goverements met to consider this question, the most momentous ever submitted to human statesmanship, in a temper of becoming moderation and equity, followed as their deliberations would, have been by the prayers and benedictions of every patriot and christian on the habitable globe, who is there so bold as to | that with our past, present, and no doubt fu pronounce that the frightful waste of individnal happiness and public prosperity which is daily saddening the universal leart might not have been terminated, or, if the desolution and carnage of war must still be endured through weary years of blood and suffering, that there might not at least have been infused into its conduct something more of a spirit which softens and partially redeems its bru-

Instead of the safe conduct which we solicited, and which your first letter gave us every reason to suppose would be extended for the purpose of initiating negotiations in which neither Government would compromise which neither Government would compromise its right or its dignity, a document is presented which provokes as much indignation as ledged and appreciated by us all.

surprise. It hears no feature of resemblance to that which was originally offered, and is unlike any paper which ever before emanated from the constitutional Executive of a free people,

addressed "To whom it may concern. gaining, no negotiations, no truce with rebels, at home make it ununimous.

# DALLY CONFIDE

except to bury their dead, until every man shall have laid down his arms, submitted to the Government and suched for mercy.

What may be the explanation of this sudden and entire change in the views of the President, of this aude withdrawal of a courteous overture for negotiations, at the moment it was likely to be accepted, of his emphatic recall of words of peace just uttered, and of fresh blasts of war to the bitter end, we leave for the speculation of those who have the means of inclination to penetrate the mysteries of his Cabinet, or fathom the ca-price of his imperial will. It is enough for us to say that we have no use whatever for the paper which has been put in our hands.

We could not transmit it to the President of the Confectors. States without offering him an indignity, dishenoring ourselves and incurring the wellmerited scorn of our countrymen.

Whilst an ardent desire for peace pervades the people of the Confederate States, we rejoice to believe there are few, if any, among them who would purchase it at the expense of liberty, bonor and self-respect.

If it can be procured only by the submis-

sion to terms or conquest, generations yet unborn must witness its restoration. If there be any military autocrat in the North who is entitled to proffer the conditions of this manifesto, there is none in the

South authorized to entertain them Those who control our armies are the servants of the people, not their masters. They bave no more inclination than they have the right to subvert the social institutions of sovereign States-to overthrow their established constitutions and to barter away their priceless heritage of self government.

FROM MISSOURI. The latest advices from Missouri are exciting. The guerrillas are increasing in that State to an unprecedented extent, and it is now confidently asserted that 50,000 men, under Gen. Price, have also entered the State. From the tone of the last telegram which reaches us, we should judge that the authorities are alarmed at the aspect of affairs, and are not in a condition to meet the emergency with any adequate military force. .

DECLINE IN GOLD. Gold closed at 10 o'clock on the 22d in New York at 2521. The market was probably affected by "peace rumors."

#### For the Confederate. To the Ladies of the Soldiers Relief Association, and Others.

I am always ready and will give the ladies praise whenever it is due them, and in this instance I hope I may be allowed the liberty of acknowleging the many kind acts bestowed on myself as well as other soldiers in this hospital. There is one in particular I must men-

tion. I do not know whether she is a member of the above Association or not; but never will I forget her kindness to me, as well as others as long as I live. Every morning Mrs. H. is to be seen going from tent to tent, supplying the wants and adding to the comforts of our sick and wounded soldiers. Some ludies would tire know it is a pleasure instead of a task to her. May a soldier's best wishes attend her, is the wish of one who is grateful to her for the fa-

vors. The ladies who compose the Association, and also our kind matren, (Mrs. Campbell) have dene all in their power to administer to our welfare. Too much praise cannot be given which we felt authorized to hope might ter- faces of our soldiers beam with as they enter the hospitals. There are others who deserve equal praise, among them the kind attention of North and to the South. Exacting no con- Mrs. H. should not be forgotten. Their presence to us is as one bright ray of sunshine. What would our sick and wounded do, were it not for the ladies of this place! Well may you. Messrs. Editors, be proud of the fair

daughters of your city.
In these ramarES I do not mean to convey the idea that we are not grateful to those connected with this hospital. It is far from being the case. While speaking of this hospital, I would add, it is conducted with as much proprioty and regularity as any in our Confederacy. The Surgeon in charge, (Dr. Leigh) is very gentlemanly, attentive and kind to us all. and discharges his duties faithfully. The Assistant Surgeons, Drs. Patterson, Bryant, Ca-

But to return to the Ladies: Let me ask you to coatinue in your noblejwork. De everything that you can for our poor bays. Don't slight er pass one by for another; make no chice among them; do for them all as you would for a dear friend or relative Remember they are fighting for you, our glorious country, and everything near and dear to them. Give them your help, your words of consolation and encouragement, for in their present situation they need it all. Let them feel that by the interest you manifest for them, they have in you kind friends, and I know that many a moment, which would have been spent in idleness, and useless thoughts, will be happily spent by them

during your visits there, as is now the case. The ladies of Raleigh shall ever be as one bright spot in my memory. I know our soldiers will never forget them; and when peace, oh! happy peace, shall come once again to us, do you think while we are enjoying the comforts of a home, and the varied pleasures which surround us there, that we can ever forget the kind ladies of Raleigh? On the contrary, many a happy moment will be passed in recalling their generous liberality. Let us hope ture successes, we may be enabled to enjoy that peace which we se much long fer.

Yes, let us live with a hope of a better day com-

ing, Tho dark be our dreams for a while; For there's joy in the thought of a better day daw-

ning, Then welcome our fears with a smile.

I am afraid I am taxing the patience of the kind folks of Raleigh, with these remarks, which the Editors have given place to in their valuable columns, but I cannot well close without thanking Miss A. M., for the ice cream treat of last Thursday. It was highly appreciated by us all. Assuring the ladies of the

I am, very respectfully.
A GRATEFUL SOLDIER. General Hospital, No. 8, Raleigh, N. C., July 28th, 1864.

By the election returns published in this It preclades negetiation and prescribes in advances the terms and conditions of peace. Holden will be defeated to the tune of twenty or thirty thousand majority. Let the people

# RALEIGH, N. C., FRIDAY, JULY 29, 1864.

MRS. MILLER continues to accommodate Boarders, by the day, week or month.

Dr. Deems' Appointments. THE Financial Agent of the North Carolina Orphan Endowment Fund, will address the people as follows:
At Thyatira Church, Rowan county, Sunday,

At Salisbury, at Court, Tuesday, August 2nd. At Hillsboro', Friday, August 5th. Salisbury and Hillsboro' papers please copy. Wanted. A GARDNER for the year, commencing on the 1st of September. White person preferred.

july 23-d2t . MRS. H. W. MILLER. MEDICAL DIRECTOR'S OFFICE. GENERAL HOSPITALS N. C., )

RALEIGH, July 25, 1864. CCRCULAR No. 25. M EDICAL Officers in charge of Hespitals are informed that the Hon. S. H. Rogers, Attor-

ney General of North Carolina, has given the following epinion, viz:

"I have to say, construing the Ordinances and Acts of Assembly in regard to soldiers voting, according to the spirit thereof, I am of opinion that Surgeons in charge of Hospital can have opened the polls for elections, as commanders of regiments, and that this election should be conducted as in a regiment. The object of the law is to allow soldiers from their homes in the service

Medical Officers in charge of Hospitals will accordingly have "polls for election" opened at their respective hospitals on Thursday next, July 28th, in accordance with the opinion of the Attor-ney General, and make the returns required by

P. E. HINES, Surgeon, Medical Director. (Signed) july 27

L OANS ON THE SECURITY OF THE FIVE HUNDRED MILLION SIX PER CENT. NON-TAXABLE BONDS UNDER THE SEVENTH SECTION OF THE CUR-

Deposites on call will be received by the Treaswrer in this city, Assistant Treasurer at Charles-ton and Mobile, and the Depositaries at Wilwington, Raleigh, Columbia, Augusta, Sarannah and Montgomery, and certificates will be issued for the same, bearing interest at the rate of four per cent per annum, and secured by the hypotheca-tion of an amount of the above bonds, equal to the sum of these loans. The bonds to be set apart by the Treasurer, and the proceeds, when sold, applied exclusively to the payment of the said certificates.

The security and convenience afforded to banks

and other corporations, and to the public generally, by this mode of temporary investment, and the effect of the measure if generally adopted, in keeping the carrency within moderate bounds, it is koped, will commend it to the favorable consideration of the community, and secure their prompt co-operation in carrying it into effect. G. A. TRENHOUM.

Secretary of the Treasury BICHMOND, July 22, 1864. july 27-etf

OFFICE OF C. S. DEPOXITARY, ) BALEIGH, N. C., July 20th, 1864.

HOLDERS of eight and seven per cent. certificates, issued by George W. Mordecai, late Depositary, and of six per cent. certificates issued by the undersigned, are requested to present their and receive their Bonds. The coupous thereon, due January first and July first, 1864, will be paid

at the same time.

Holders of Registered Stocks, who have heretofore received their interest at Wilmington, are again informed that the same will be paid at this office in future. Holders of any Registered Bonds can receive their interest at this office, by requesting the Register at Richmond to transfer his stock to the pay-roll of this Depositary. C. B. HARKISON, C. S. Depositary.

Conservative copy till forbid.

Chief Eu. Office 1st Cong. Dist. N. C., } Jaly 21st, 1864. GENERAL ORDER

No. 5. THE organization of the Senior Class of • Reserves having been rendered inpracticable under former instructions from this office, owing to the fact that there were not men enough of that classe enrolled to form a company in any one county; it is ordered that all male white persons between the ages of 45 and 50 (whather previously enrolled or not) assemble on the 10th day of August, at the fellowing places, to complete their organization, viz: Those of the counties of Hertford and North-

ampton, at Garysburg.

Those of the county of Bertie, at Windsor.

Those of the counties of Washington and Martin,

at Williamston. II. Local Enrolling Officers on duty in the several counties in which the rendezvous are ofdered, will superintend the organization of the compa-nies and the election of the efficers, in accordance with former just uctions, and forward the rolls

and certificates of election to this office without III. Local Enrolling Officers are charged not only with the dissemination of this order, bu; will be held strictly responsible for its execution likewise. They will call upon the militia officers to aid them and will spare no pains to secure the presence of all the "Senior Reserves" in their re-

spective counties. 1V. It is not the intention of the Lieutenant General Commanding Reserves of N. C. to keep the Senior Class of his force in the field. The purpose of this order is simple to organize the companies so as to reader them efficient in repelling raids, and in other emergencies. A prompt attendance is urged upon the men, and every man is reminded that it is to his interest not only to be present himself on the day appointed, but to see that his neighbors come to,, as it will be necescient number report to organize. As soon, on the other hand, as the organization is complete, the men will be permitted to return to their homes.

(Signed)

Capt and Chief E. O. 1st C. D. N. C. july 26-dtd sary to retain them at the rendezvous till a suffi-

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PITT COUNTY.

FOR THE SENATE: DR. E. J. BLOUNT. FOR THE COMMONS: C. PERKINS, B. G. ALBRITTON.

AND (ITIZENS.

BY SOLDIERS

The above ticket will be voted for by

THROUGH the many selicitations of his friends, THOMAS I. FAISON has consented again to become a candidate to represent the county of july 20-te Sampson in the Senate.

Stolen.

TROM THE EXCHANGE HOTEL, Raleigh, on the 22nd of Jane last, one Gold Thinble, marked A. L., also a pair of Pearl and Jett Earnings, with hair encased. Any information left at THIS OFFICE, leading to the recovery of said articles, will be liberally rewarded.

july 21-d26t BICHMOND CITY INSURANCE COMPANY, OF RICMOND, VA. CAPITAL \$300,0000.

· Takes risks against fire at lowest rates. E. McCARTHY. T. H. WYNNE, Prest. jul 23ta2w N. B .- AGENTS WANTED.

Candidates' Cards.

CRAVEN COUNTY. To the Soldiers and Citizen Voters of Craven A T TH- S O L I C I T A T I O N S OF MANY
A friends, I offer myself a candidate for re-election to represent the county of Craven in the House of Commons, in the next Legislature of North Carolina. If elected, I will serve you to the best of my ability, a: all times guarding well your interests.

T. H. GASKINS, june 12-118 dte 1st Lt. Co. B, 67th Rgt. N C T

For the Sheriffalty of Craven --- We are authorized to announce, that ALEXANDER. C. LATHAM is a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, in the county of Craven. may 24-101-dtf.

FOR SHERIFF OF WILSON... WE ARE LEQUESTED TO ANNOUNCE W. W. BATTS, as a candidate for Sheriff of Wilson county, at the ensuing election.

Joyner's Depot, June 15. 121-tde.

TO THE VOTERS OF CRAVEN COUNTY. FELLOW CITIZENS AND SOLDIERS: I to the Senate for the next Term of our Legislature. During the past Term, I have endeavored to discharge my duties faithfully, and according to my ability. I thank you for the honor you have heretoforedone me, and hope to merit your continued confidence and support.

Your Obt Sery't.
june 14 121-dto NATHAN WHITFORD.

SHERIFF OF CATAWBA COUNTY. E are authorized to announce that JONAS CLINE is a candidate for re-election to the flice of Sheriff of Catawba County in August june 27, 1864. dte.

Dr. JOHN F. FOARD a candidate to represent the County of Rowan in the House of Com-mons of the next General Assembly of the State,

Greene County. To the Soldiers and Citizen Voters of Greene

County: T the solicitation of many friends, I announce A T the solicitation of many friends, I announce A myself a candidate, to represent the county of Greene in the House of Commons of the next Legislature of North Carolina. If elected, I will serve you to the best of my ability; guarding your interests with unswerving fidelity.

J. T. FREEMAN.

Snow Hill, June 27, 1864. 153-dte.
Wilmington Journal and State Journal copy.

FOR THE LEGISLATURE WE are authorized to aunounce Col. M. K. CRAWFOED as a candidate for re-election to a seat in the House of Commons of the next General Assembly of North Carolina, from Wayno ial 2-dte.

To the Soldiers and Citizens (voters) of Person County, N. C.

At the solicitation of many friends, I have consented to become a candidate for the office o Sheriff of Person county, State of North Carolina.
Should you boner me with your suffrages and eject me, I can only promise to serve you with fidelity, to the best of my ability; on all occasions to be in my place; besides, my opinions and actions in this war are so well known to you all, that I deem it entirely unnecessary to say more, and leave it with the voters of this county to de-

Johnston County .-- We are authorized and requested to amounce the fellowing gentlemen as the Conservative candidates to represent the county of Johnston in the next General

For the Senate-THOS. D. SNEAD, Esq. For the Commons W. C. BANKS and W. A. SMITH. This ticket was selected by the Reserves from Johnston, in camp at Goldsboro, and by a mass meeting of the citizens remaining at home, held at Smithfield on the 28th of May. These gentle-nen will be supported by all true Conservatives. They endorse the platform of Vice President Stephens, Gov. Brown and W. W. Holden, and if elected will do all they can to procure an early

DAVIDSON COUNTY. To the Soldiers and Oltizen Voters of Davidson County: - We are permitted to announce Col. C. W. Bradshaw, of the 42d Reg't N.

C. Troops, as a suitable candidate to represent the people of Davidson County in the House of Commons of the General Assembly of North Carolina. field for three years in defence of his country; and will as faithfully represent his country's interests in the Legislature, if the people call him to that position. MANY VOTERS. position. june 27, 1864. d26t

WAKE COUNTY.

THE SHERIFFALTY .- We are authorized and I requested to announce W. H. HIGH, Esq., as a candidate for re-election to the office of Sheriff, at the election in August. • ju 17-tde-d&w

FOR SHERIFF. WE ARE AUTHORISED TO ANNOUNCE THOMAS J WHITAKER, a candidate for reelection to the office of Sheriff for the county

TO THE CITIZENS, SOLDIERS AND RF-FUGEES OF PASQUOTANK COUNTY.

WE are authorized to announce GEO. W. HINTON, a candidate to represent Pas-quotank county in the next Rouse of Commons. ma 10-89-dtw &wte

We are authorized to announce Lieut. E. H. RAY, of the 47th N. C. Regiment, for the office of Sheriff of Wake County, at the ensuing election in August next. july 14 detwid.

To the Voters of Warren County, N. C. I respectfully withdraw my name as a candidate for the Legislature. If a merciful Providence shall see fit to restore me to health once more, I prefer to remain in the service until the last gun is fired in defence of Home and Independence, and I desire no greater applause from pos-terity than to be instrumental of that deed and that deliverance. PLUMMER W. GREEN, july 13 d2t\* Co. E. lst. Reg't N. C. Cavalry.

BERTIE COUNTY.

WE are authorised to announce Hon. DAVID OUTLAW, the present Senator from Bertie, as a candidate for re-election. He will vote for the re-election of Gor. Vance, and for such measures as in his judgment are calculated to procure a speedy, just and ionorable peace, on the basis of Southern independence. Heers, and has been from the beginning opposed to a Conven-tion, believing it to be a trick, by which North Carolina was to be withdrawn from the Confeder-

We are also authorised to announce Capt. W. M. SUTTON, as a candidate for the House of Commons. Capt. S. is in favor of Gov. Vance's election, and is a true Southern man. july 13 1864 dte.

Hillsboro N. C. Military Academy.-The Second Session (1864) of this Institution, will commence July 1st. For Circulars and

information apply to Maj. Ww. M. GORDON, ma. 17 95-d3m

A lam ance County. We are Authorized to announce Gen. JOSEPH S. HOLT as a candidate for the House of Commons from Alamance County. Gen. Hot is a Conservative "after the straitest sect," ind is in favor of a speedy and honorable peace. He also believes in the right of the people to rule, and in the constant predominance of the civil over the military power.

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CONFEDERATE TICKET FOR GRANVILLE.

FOR THE SENATE: C. H. K. TAYLOR. FOR . JOHN W. HA. OVE, E. G. CHEATHAM, DR. P. P. PEACE.

july 20-dte NORTHAMPTON COUNTY

CANDIDATES FOR THE SENATE: DR. W. S. COPELAND. CANDIDATES FOR THE COMMONS: CAPT. S. T. STANCELL, LIEUT. W. J. ROGERS.

Election in camp, Thursday, the 28th of July; at home. Thursday, the 4th of August. july 20-dtw&wto

SPLENDID BLOCKAE SHOES. A SMALL LOT OF FINE SHOES, HATEST advance on importer's prices, at N. C. BOOKSTORE. SMALL LOT OF FINE SHOES, LATEST

CLASSICAL AND ATHEMATICAL SCHOOL. Tally-Ho, Granville Co. N. C. The Fall Session of this School, under the care of T.J. HORNER, assisted by J. H. ROWLAND, commences t 3rd Monday in July. The price of board and tuition is \$600 per session. Application for admission should be made in advance.

T. J. HORNER. june 20-124 d18t

SURGICAL INSTRUMENTS. CEVERAL CASES of beautifully finished Sur-D gical Instruments, at TUCKER, ANDREWS & CO.'S Auction and Commission House.

july 22 · Negroes and Foundryman Wanted. OFFICE OF THE LICEVILLE MINING AND MANUFAU-

Lockville. Chathan county, N. C.

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WANTED immediately, by this Company,
THIRTY GOOD N. GROES—chappers
prefered. We also wish to employ a white FOUNDRYMAN, who can take the intire control of a
cold blast charcoal Furnace. For one well qualified, steady employment will be given. Apply to
me at once, at the Eudor Furnace, or address
me there, via Fayetteville, N. C.
july 25-digt W. S. DOWNER, Supt.

Not ce .

WALTER A. THOMPS- N will leave Greens-berough and fillsborough for the Army of Northern Virginia, on Friday, the 5th day of August next.
Person: desirous of sending boxes will please have them at the depets on the day before, properly directed and weighed.

july 23-ta4

W. A. THOMPSON.

CHIEFT IRON FOR SORGHUM BOILERS 5 41/2 and 81/2 feet long, 3-16 inches thick and 30 inches wide, for sale by july 2-135 dtf CREECH & LITCHFORD.

NEW AUCTION AND COMMISSION STORE. W. H. AND R. S. TUCKER AND W. R. Andrews, have this day associated themselves together under the name and style of TUCKER, ANDREWS & Co., for the purpose of conducting a general Auction and Commission business. All business entrusted to them will meet with promptness and dispatch.
TUCKER, ANDREWS & CO. june 23 127-dtf

WOOL NOTICE.

QUARTERSMASTER'S DEPARTMENT. RALEIGH, JULY 2, 1864. AM NOW PREPARED TO EXCHANGE Cotton Yarn Lr Wool, upon the following One bunch of Yarn for three pounds washed

Wool, and one bunch for four pounds unwashed. Agents have been appointed to make the exchange at the following places: Oxford, Tarboro', Kinston, Catherine Lake, Concord, Rockingham, Hendersonville, Statesville, Roxboro', Asheville Pittsboro'. Louisburg, Fayetteville, Colergin, and at this place.

Persons shipping wool to this place will please mark on the packages who they are from, and the cotton yarn will be forwarded immediately.

I hope the people will natriotically respond to the above notice, as the Wool is for clothing the july 8-140-tf N. C. Troops.

ABOLPH COHN, WHOLESALE TOBACCO HOUSE,

Commission Merchant. GOLDSBORO', N. C. I IBERAL advancements made on Produce consigned to me.

guly 14, 1864—d3m.

Office Raleigh & Gaston R. R. Co'py, RALEIGH, July 7, 1864.

THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THIS
Company have declared a dividend of 15 per
cent. on the capital stock, payable on and after
after 1st of August, 1864, in four per cent certificates and bonds of the Confederate States, or in Confederate treasury notes of the old issue at face value, at the option of the Company.

W. W. VASS,

inl 8 dtf

Treasurer.

Pitt County.

THE people of Pitt county in Convention as-sembled, on the 4th July, 1864, nominated the following named gentlemen as candidates to represent them in the next General Assembly of North Carolina: For the Senate, DR. RICHARD WILLIAMS;

For the Commons, HENRY SHEPPARD, Esq., and DR. JOHN TAFT. This is a straight-out Southern Rights ticket:-

opposed to the wholesale and useless exemption of men who ought to be in the army, and in favor of sustaining the Government in prosecuting the war to an honorable peace, upon the basis of our national independence. We call upon all men who love freedom and cherish the honor of their country, to give it a hearty support at the en-suing election. COMMITTEE. july 14 de.

TO THE VOTERS OF CHATHAM COUNty. At the solicitation of many soldiers in the army, as well as of many friends at home, I announce myself a candidate for the House of amounce inviself a candidate for the Houss of Commons from Chatham County. I have received no solicitations from the Rahabites, the American Heroes, or the oligarchs, or those who stay at home to make money out of the families of the soldiers, and occupy their spare time in abusing better men than themselves as disloyal. I stand fairly and squarely on the platform of Stephens and Brown, of Georgia, and W. W. Holden for Governor, against the world; and I balieve that without the election of such men to office we will never have a permanent peace. So far as the soldiers are concerned, I do not wing to appear to home that I will say that I have done as much for boast, but I will say that I have done as much for their families, or more, according to my means, than any Vanceite in the County of Chatham.

Fellow citizens and soldiers, go to the polls on the day of election, and vote for true-Conservatives, if you would have peace and be a free people. Do not be intimidated, but stand up for your rights.

JOHN A. McDONALD.

Pakland, July 16, 1864.

# DAILY CONFEDERATE.

ADVERTISING.

ADVERTISEMENTS will be inserted at THREE DOLLARS per square of ten lines (or less) for each insertion. Marriage notices and Obituaries will be charged as advertisements.

JOB WORK of every description will be ex ecuted at this Office with dispatch, and as neatly es can be done in the Southern Confederacy.

ELECTION.

JAMES P. SPEIGHT is a candidate to represent W. WOOTEN is a candidate to represent Lenoir county, in the House of Commons of the approach-General Assembly of North Carolina. july 22-d5t.

THE undersigned will attend at the following times and places, to collect the interest on the Sequestrated Debts in his District, viz: at Hillsbero; July 14th, 1864.

"Raleigh 20 & 21.

Fayetteville "27. 28 & 29. "

G. H, WILDER, Receiver.

Fayetteville Observer copy till July 29. june 27 dtjy 29.

Johnston County. WE are authorized to announce C. B. SANDERS for the Senate, and H. H. FINCH and JESSE HINNONT for the Commons, to represent Johnston county in the next Legislature. They are in favor of the re-election of Governor Vance, and opposed to Mr. Holden's Convention pro-

JONES. IN compliance with the wishes of many friends in and cut of the army, I announce myself a

COUNTY. I ANNOUNCE myself a candidate for a seat in. the House of Commons, North Carolina Legislature. I am in favor and shall vote for the re-

election of Gov. Vance.

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A DIVIDEND OF SIX DOLLARS AND ninety cents on each share of stock in this Bank, has been declared this day, payable to the

will be paid at the Principal Bank, and of the Wentworth Agency at Milton. Raleigh July 21st, 1864. C. DEWEY, Cash'r.

A PROCLAMATION. WHEREAS, IT HATH BEEN REPRESENT-ed to me that Henderson Jones, late of the county of Guilford, has been convicted of the murder of Wm. Stephenson, late of said course and that the said Hendergon Jones has escaped

from prison and is now at large. And whereas, it hath also been represented to me that W. T. Evans, alies Turner Fry, of said county of Guilford, who stands indicted for the crime of Burglary in said county, hath also ea-

Turner Fry, may be arrested and brought to justice for their said offences, I do issue this my Proclamation, offering a reward of THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the apprehension and delivery of said Jones and THREE HUNDRED DOLLARS for the arrest and delivery of said account of Guilford accounted the said of the county of Guilford

aforesaid.

In witness whereof, I. Z-bulon B. Vance, Captain-General and Commander-in-Chief, hath signed these presents and caused the Great Scal of the State to be affixed.

By the Governor, . E. B. VANCE.

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WE ARE REQUESTED TO ANNOUNCE the name of ISAAC BROWN as a candidate for the Sheriff's office in Jones county.

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above reward for his apprehension. Joe is about 40 years old, a mulatto, bis hair is brown, straight, but disposed to curl-has a slight scar back of his left cheek bone, speaks in a low tone and seldom, slim built, very creet in his carriage, had on when he left a soldier's gray cap, striked homespun shirt, jacket and trowsers. I think he will aim to go to Nowbern.

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GRINDING SORGHUM. CAREFULLY constructed under the immediate years on a sugar plantation, it combines the re-

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BY THE GOVERNOR OF NORTH CAROLINA.

esped from prison and is at large.

Now, therefore, to the end that the said Henderson Jones and the said W. T. Evans, alias

Done at Raleigh, this 22nd day of July, A. D., 1864, and in the year American Independence, the eighty-ninth.

A. M. McPHETERS,

# The Confederate.

D. K. MCRAE,

A. M. GORMAN,

All letters on business of the Office, to be directed to A. M. GORMAN & Co.

. EDITORS.

FRIBAY, JULY 29, 1864.

#### A Budget.

It will be remembered by the public, that a few days ago we commented on the selection, by Major W. W. Peirce, of Mr. Patrick McGowan as the agent for the transmission of Quartermaster stores to the army. We stated that this had been reported to us to Major Peirce's disparagement. We expressed our disbelief of it, because Mr. McGowan had shortly previous been removed from the office of Mail Agent, and Major Peirce knew the fact; and, as a friend of the administration, we did not think, of all persons, that he would select one of its removed officers .-Secondly, that Mr. McGowan was known to be a close friend of Mr. Holden, and in the mement when Mr. Holden was most apxious to communicate his secret circulars, and Standards and Progresses to the soldiers: Mr. McGowan would be the very person he would select; and this appointment gave him the facility. When the Progress put up the pitiful mouth that we were trying to take the bread orit of the poor man's mouth, we denied it, and stated that we were indifferent how much he was employed, except in this particular way.

Faith, and it seems that we have got into a "divil of a scrape;" for, on yesterday, we received a note from Mr. Patrick McGowan, with accompanying documents, and all fer publication. Well, it is highly ludicrons, that a journal cannot comment upon the conduct of a public officer, without having thrust upon it letters and certificates of individuals who fancy, or are persuaded to fancy themselves "a-sailed." But we waive the ridiculous feature and present the budget.

I consists-1st, of a letter from Mr. Patrick McGowan, to the Editors of the Confederale. 2nd, a letter from Major Willis, Chief Q. M. of Beauregard's army .-3rd, a ceitificate from Governor Holden (would be) but neither " might nor could be." 4th. certificates from Mr. "J. L. Pesnington Editor Progress," and Mr. W. W. Helden.

Says Mr. Patrick, " As you have assailed my character," &c. How have we assailed the character of Mr. McGowan? Was he not removed as mail agent a short time since ?-Had we het a right, as a friend of the administration, to call in question the act of another friend of the administration in putting him in Government employ? And here we take occasion to raply to his question and give the reason for his removal, as - reported to us by the Agent who reported him. It was this: " That be had left the public mail, letters and all, in an open car at Weldon for a whole night, without a guard or protector." . This was deemed negligence-and he was remov-

And we had just as much right to complain. that Major Peirce should choose out Mr. Me-Gowan, who was a known friend of Mr. Holden, and bestow on him the facility for reachthe army at the very time when Mr. Holden was endeavoring secretly to transmit his incendiary documents.

We had known Mr. Patrick McGowan for many years. We had always known him as the intimate friend of Mr. Holden-bis protage -for when Mr. McGowan quitted his trade as stone cutter, and began bunting little political offices, it was complained of Mr. Holder, that he should prefer to give his support to an Irishman, when there were American boys, that wanted the very offices that Mr. Patrick was after.

We had known him too as the carrier of political documents, and were thoroughly aquainted with the industry with which he could distribute them. And when we spoke of him as one who would be likely to serve Mr. fiolden a good turn in that way, we were not aware he would consider it an ASSAULT; or that he could prevail on a sensible man, as Major Willis is said to be, to consider it a "scandal." If Mr. McGowan is sincere in this disclaimer of Mr. Holden, it is the wisest thing he ever did.

The other two papers of this budget are the certificates of Messrs. Holden and Pennington. When they appear, we are reminded of a scene in Bulwer's nevel of Paul Clifford. Those who have read the book will recollect the eccasion, when Mr. Paul Labkins went to the theatre with his long friend, Ned Perper, and the two fell alongside the sharp attorney, William Brandon and his exquisite niece, Lucy. When it was that Paul fell in love with Lucy, while Ned Pepper fell in love with a gold repeater that pestled in the attorney's fob. As they left the house Pepper abstracted the watch and "retired from the premises," leaving Paul to be nabbed. · He was taken before justice Burnflat, who, in the course of the investigation, asked Paul if he had any friend who could vouch for his character. Paul hesitated, when, in a moment, two gentlemen, dressed in the beight of fashion, pushed forward, and, bowing to the justice, declared themselves ready to vouch for the thorough respectability of Mr. Paul Labkins, whom they had known for several years. Paul looked at his supporters, whem he did not remember ever to have seen. Their names were asked and given: Mr. Eustace Fitzherbert and Mr. William Henry Russell. And, thereupon, the justice asked aloud for Bill Troutling, a Bow street detective, whereupon, some confusion appeared upon the faces

of the witnesses: but something attracted the court's attention, and Messrs. Eustace. Fitzherbert and William Henry Russell, vanished in the crowd, and left Paul's character

Now, we are about to summon a detective for the two political gentlemen of the road. We leg them to stand firm while we put their certificates before the public judgment. We will abide the decision.

One more word to Mr. McGowan. We know now that we were right in the surmise that Mr. Holden would take advantage of his going to the army, for we are in possession of the facts that Mr. Patrick McGowan did contemplate "carrying some papers;" for he told Major Peirce that "General Ransom hadasked him to bring him a Standard, and some other persons had asked him to bring papers ; and he wished to know if there would be any harm in it." We make no comment on this part of the case, and leave Mr. McGowan with the assurance that not half as much would ever have been said about him if he had not invited it. And we cheerfully put all his papers before the public, that be may have the full advantage of them

One word to Major Willis, who figures in this affair with Messrs. Holden and Penning. ton. We consider his accusation of scandal as an intrusive piece of impudence, written in outire ignorance of the facts of the case.

RALBIGH, N. C., July 27, 1864. EDITORS CONFEDERATE: As you have assailed of character in your paper, I ask, as an act of justice, the publication of my correspondence with General Beauregard and Major Willis, his Chief Quartermaster, and the certificates of Mr. Holden and Mr. Pennington, (herewith.) . I also call upon you to state, without reserve, the "reasons" of my removal from the post office department, which, in your issue of the 21st instant, you effer to "expose," if desired.

Respectfully, PATRICK McGOW N.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 19, 1864. Major Willis-Major: - I enclose herewith a slip cut from the 'daily Confederate' ef this morning, which you will perceive reflects not only on myself, but on Major Peirce. As an act of common justice and authing more, I beg you will do me the favor to state how long I remained on your lines as messenger of the Quartermaster Department at Raleigh, in, what manner as coming under your observation, I discharged my duty, and what opportunity I had of communicating with the soldiers and distributing papers and Yours very respectfully.
PATRICK McGOWAN.

PETERSBURG, VA. July 25, 1864.

Your letter of the 19th July just to hand. I am requested by the General to answer his letter, and make you occupy a proper position. You have twice brought me goods from Raleigh and used as much expedition as any man could, and in all the business transacted with me I've found you prompt, willing and energetic-and with much more peliceness than ninety-nine men out of every hundred who go as messengers possess. the piece in the paper scandalous, and I am as well as Gen. Beauregard convinced that Major Peirce will sustain journal duties. Very respectfully, G. WILLIS, Peirce will sustain you for present discharge of

Chief Q. M. Beauregard's army.

RALBICH, July 19, 1864. I heraby certify that I have never employed. Mr. Patrick McGowan or any other person to circalate the Progress, tickets or documents, in the army or elsewhere. I send the Progress only to subscribers, all of which are committed to the mail. I consider Mr. McGowan a gentleman of henor and integrity, and have always considered him faithful and zealous in the discharge of any duty assigned kim. He has two sons it the army and a large family at home to support, and if any man deserves the sympathies and patronage of those in authority, it seems to me Mr. McGowan's warme should not be overlooked.

J. L. PENNINGTON. Editor Progress.

RALEIGH, July 19, 1864. I hereby certify that on no occasion during the present political campaign in this State, have I employed Mr. Patrick McGowan to circulate or deliver political documents, whether tickets or Standards, for me; nor have I authorized any person to employ him in said capacity.
W. W. HOLDEN.

# Reported Peace Negotiations.

We publish to-day an account of certain Peace negetiations, sald to have been attempted by certain distinguished gentlemen of the Confederate States. And the Richmond papers of Wednesday contain an account, taken from the Baltimore Gazette, of the visit of two unofficial Commissioners to Richmond. gaid to be on a Peace mission: How much of reliance there is in the two statements, or authority possessed by the negotiators, if the statements be true, has not yet transpired .-But the agitation of the question of negotiation at the North for a cessation of bostlities, as the Richmond Sentinel remarks-is but the beginning of the end. The route of Sherman, the frustration of the plans of Grant, and the protection of 'the Valley of Virginia. will linsure the defeat of Lincoln-and then comes peace, with all its blessings.

The movements will have a two-fold effect. The peace men of the United States will be satisfied that no peace can be attained as long as Lincoln presides over the destinies of the United States; while the miserable faction existing in North Carolina must be convinced that their dy choice is between the most abject submission with the loss of honor. property, and liberty; or independence, freedom, and the exercise of all their rights, and the absolute possession of their property of every description.

# Another Mail Complaint.

A gentleman at Hillsboro' writes us as follows, under date of July 26th:

"In to-day's Confederate, I see you notice the irregularity of the delivery of your paper and other mail matter. I have never known anything like it. I get your paper with a little more regularity than any other, and that fails me two or three times a week. I hardly expect a Richmond paper, though a subscriber for both the Sentinel and the Examiner And letters are even more uncertain than papers. Lately I had letter thirty days on its way from Graham to this place! post offices only twenty miles apart! I hardly think our office here is chargeable with any neglect, for we have a very correct postmaster. If you can correct the evil, I, for one, shall feel myself much obliged."

We can only lay the mail complaints before the Postmaster General, which we shall certainly do in all cases; and we feel perfectly assured that he will have the delinquents sought out and the corrective applied.

At His Old Tricks.

The propensity of Mr. Holden to apply epithets to his opponents, and false epithets, is a propensity grown by cultivation, and has become a habit by persistent practice. He has now discovered, that " Duncan K. McRae is a monarchist at heart, and an enemy to popular Government." With equal facility he reached, at different periods of his life, to the" conclusion, and enunciated with equal empha-

That Henry Clay was a gambler, perjurer and murderer. Yet afterwards wrote that he

That Mr. Badger was more unsound than Lewis Cass, a dan oligarch and a driveller. Yet afterwards wrote his eulogy on Mr. Bad-

That Wm. A. Graham was a demagogue, and afraid to meet Mr. Jas. B. Shepard .-Yet afterwards wrote that he abused Gov. Graham for " party cuds."

That John A Gilmer was an abolitionist. That E. G. Reade was a demagogue who had dishonored his State. That Churles Manly was a demagogue, That N. P. Boyden was an associate of Tuck and Giddings, whom it were a shame to call patriot. . That Alford Dockery was an ignoramus who could'ut talk a single language. With similar epithets he has abused Gov. Ellis, W. W. Avery; Gov. Clarke, Gov. Brage, and now from week. to week he stigmstizes Gov. Vance as a blasphemer and liar.

Mr. W. W. Holden, in his estimation, is a gentleman, a scholar, and a patriot.

This is matter of opinion with Mr. Holden, in which he has the enjoyment of a solitary indulgence. . We leave him to his grati-

Major Mallett. It is known that the Senate failed to confirm the numination of this officer to be Colonel of Conscription. This nomination was made by the late Secretary of War, as he supposed in conformity with the law-his intention being to premote Major Maliett for meriterious service. But it was discovered by the Senate, that there was no authority for such prometion, as under the law of Congress, Mojor is the highest rank for officers baving command of camps of instruction; and accordingly Major Mallett's promotion fails, as also that of many other excellent officers similarly situated. That Major Mallett is held in high appreciation by the Department at Richmond, is fully shown in the letter of Mr. Sedden, the

RICHMOND, Va. July 23, 1804. MAJOR PETER MALLET, A. A. G. & P. A. C. S. Major : It is not supposed by the Department, nor can'it be justly it is believed by any one else, that the failure to confirm your nomination by the Senate at its late session as Colonel, proceeded from any dissatisfaction with you or any want of decided appreciation of your past meritorious service in conscript duty, but simply from the opinion that my predecessor had exceeded his powers in appointing Colonels in the Provisional army for such service. It resulted from a different construction of law and authority merely, and you now hold the highest rank, that of Major, that, the law allows to be conferred on comman-

which we herewith present; .

dants of camps.

The Department finds satisfaction in giving this explanation, as it recognizes cheerfully the fideli-ty, zeal and ability with which your arduous duties have been performed.

Repectfully yours,

#### JAMES A. SEDDON, Sect. of War.

# The Election.

We receive every day, letters expressing the apprehension of the citizens, that the deserters and tories, who are increasing in some portions of the State, with a purpose to present themselves in the counties of Randelph, Moore, Yadkin. Forsyth, and other sections, with a view te cast their own votes, and also to control the pells. This apprehension is well-founded -for we see in the Conservative of yesterday, the statement that two or three hundred deserters from the everny the other day, at Petersburg, announced to our men that the yankee idea was, that if they could take Petersburg and Richmond and elect Holden, they wenld have the Confederacy where they wanted it. The deserters and tories propose to do the electing part. But they will fail-as the yankees will fail to do the taking part. But loyal citizens have a claim upon their government to be secure in the privilege of voting; and we have one doubt that steps are being taken to give security where there may appear to be danger. We advise all true men, ne matter who they vote for, to be prepared at the polls to prevent an irruption on the ballot box by lawless deserters and tories; and we again enjoin uporithe government to take such steps, whereever they have not already been taken, to make the voters secure.

# Margin Tickets.

The Progress is welcome to all the MARGIN Mr. Holden can get from his tearing off the blank space from the YELLOW Vance tickets which we sent him, and from printing Mr. Holden- on them. We thought Mr. Holden referred the innocent white, Is he sick that e flings out the "hospital yellow?" In this onnection, Mr. Holden may be doing a MAR-IN BUSINESS; for, yesterday, a prefessedly ame soldier came to our office and obtained wo sheets of Vance tickets, and, with these. e was traced to Mr. Holden's office. Here as a margin for about two handred Holden ckets-by close "tearing," and Governor ance says Mr. Holden "goes a TEARING."

Governor Vance certainly ased the blaspheous and profane expressions attributed to m .- Progress.

Of course it must be so, for the editor of e Progress, who was not there, save so and his witness, Hauser, who is a deserter and is not been in the army since last October, idence is to be credited. But gentlemen no were present and heard Gov. Vance, say i is not true, and the people know which to The Vote in the Cauros, Hospitals, &c.

We give below the vote for Governor, &c., given by Seldiers at Camp Holmes, the Hospitals, and Quartermaster's Office in this city. From this it will be seen that Gov. Vance has received about ten votes to Mr. Holden's one!-And this is about the proportionate vote that will be given by our Soldiers everywhere-TEN TO ONE! Surely this terrible clap of thunder is loud and sharp enough to wake up even Mr. Holden himself, from the infatuated delusion that he has persisted in, that he stend any earthly chance of being elected. But experience keeps a dear school, and stubborn folks will hardly learn at all.

And new our brave defenders-the Seldiers who have suffered, periled and bled, and de still-they have told at the ballet-bex their sentiments concerning Mr. Holden and his nefarious schemes-and this sentiment will be re-echeed from the seaboard to the mountains by the people at home, showing the strongest popular condemnation ever visited upon any man in North Carelina. Se mete it be-fer he richly deserved it.

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Majority for Vance, 425 maj. LEGISLATIVE AND SHERIFF VOTE.

WAYSIDE HOSPITAL - Wake County : Senate.-Sion H. Rogers, 3; W. D. Jones, 1. House of Commens.-Fowle, 8; Utley, 8; Laws, 2, (Vance ticket.) Afford, 1; Rogers, 1; Richardson, 1, (Holden ticket.)

For Sheriff - High, 2; Ray, 1; Russ, 1. PETTIGREW HOSPITAL - For Senate .- S. R. Rogers, 8; Lones, 6.

For Commons .- Fowle, 7; Laws, 6; Utv. 6; Alford, 5; Rogers, 5; Richardson, 5. For Sheriff - High, 9; Russ, 4; Ray, 1. CAMP HOLMES-Senate.-S. H. Rogers,

3: Jones, none.

House of Commons - Fowle, 13; Laws, 13; The Holden candidates for the House did not receive a wote Sheriff .- High, 12; Ross, 1.

#### Death of Col. Wm. A. Owens.

The Charlotte Bulletin, of the 27th, says a sudden gloom pervaded that community on the reception of the news the day before, that Col. Wm. A. Owen, of that place, wo wounds ed in a fight near Winchester, Va, on the evening of the 18th instant, and died on the Secretary of War, addressed to Major Mallett, morning of the 19th.

Col. Owens had just returned to his command, after a brief vist to his family, and received his death wound, we are informed, in one hour after he rejoined his regimeat, his brigade leaving been ordered into battle immediately on his arrival.

The deep anxiety with which his fellowcitizens enquired the particulars of his death, and the sorrowful tone in which they spoke of his many noble qualities, embodied a more elequent tribute to the lamented dead, than any that we could pen.

# The News.

The Petersburg Register of Tuesday, says the day previous was the most quiet day Petersburg has had since the 5th of May-not a cannon, musket or pistol shot was heard in any direction. The Register inclines to the opinion of many others, that the present front will be abandened by the yankees, for a movement upon the north side of the Appenantex-as there has certainly been mevements looking directly to this step. Grant's object of helding the Railroads leading into that city-being now discovered by himself to be out of the question, and having frittered away enough of the blood, life and treasure committed to him, he must seek some other field, with the vain hepe that he will have better luck somewhere else. The enemy has no doubt not only abandoned some of his fortifications on his left, but actually leveled them to the ground to preyent our use of them. This is the report of our men, and it is confirmed by the army correspondent of the Philadelphia News, who thinks it a carital strategic movement. The leveling of fortifications on his left certainly forbids the idea that the enemy has now any purpose of turning our right for another raid on railroads.

We give in another column an account, from the Richmond Sentinel of an unfortunate panic in the Valley of Virginia, among some of the troops under General Ramseur. A full explanation of the circumstances will, we trust, put a more favorable aspect to the stampede. The troops implicated have too often proven themselves to be true as steel and courageous as lione, to admit of a suspicion against them on this score, or as to the skill and ability of Gen. Ramseur. But there are occasions when the brayest of veteran troops are seized with panics unaccountable, without at all impeaching their courage. It was doubtless the case in this linstance. We must await more satisfacte ry accounts, and not jump to hasty disparaging

FROM NORPOLK.

From a recent copy of Butler's papers, published in Norfolk, we learn that Mr. Leter, formerly of the Lester Sewing Machine Mannfacturing Company of Richmond, has been arrested upon a charge of manufacturing arms and equipments for the rebels, tried by courtmartial, convicted and sentenced to ten years hard labor, with ball and chain. Mr. Hodges, cashier of one of the Norfolk banks, bas been tried on the charge of embezzling the funds of the bank, (he didn't hand over the coin to Butler,) and convicted and sentenced to two years, with ball and chain.

A GALLANT EXPLOIT.

A daring adventure, rewarded by the capture of a Yankee lieutenant colonel, occurred in front of Gen. Bushred Johnson's lines before Petersburg, on Sunday morning. Adjutant Grigg, accompanied by Laut. Orr and ys so, too. Then it must be so, if such | three privates, all from the Twenty-third Tennessee regiment, went out in front at an early hour to ascertain the position of the enemy, and observed 'a field efficer engaged in advancing his pickets, skillfully managed, to get between him and his pickets when they were

about a hundred yards apart. They then advanced suddenly upon the field officer, and de-manded his surrender. The affair took the Yankees so much by surprise that they did not know how to ac. The pickets were afraid to fire upon our men for fear of killing their own commander, and the latter wis afraid to run, and too much awed by the level-ed muskets and pistols of the Confederates to make any demonstration for either assistance or resistance. He concluded to surrender .-Adjutant Grigg leaving his companions to skirmish with the pickets, who were trying to surrender them, marched the officer out by the right flank, through a swamp and a deep the right flank, through a swamp and a deep stream of water, around into our lines, whither he was safely followed by Lieut. Orr and his squad. The Yankee officer proved to be Lieut. Colonel Hooper, of the Twenty-fourth Massachusetts infantry, a brother, it is said, to the late Gen. Hooper, of Sherman's army. Important papers were found upon his person. The exploit reflects the highest credit upon the gallantry and address of the daring captors.

#### From the Richmond Sentinel.

STRASBURG, July 21st, 1864. Since my last, of the 19th, the first and only disas er this expedition has met with, has occurred, to mar, in some degree, the brilliancy of our achievements, and that, toe, under circumstances which painfully exaggerate its

unpleasant features. On the night of the 19th, the division commanded by Gen. Ramseur moved from near Berryville to the vicinity of Winchester, on the Martinsburg road. . About 2 P. M., of the 20th, the enemy, supposed to be some four thousand of Crook's Infantry and a brigade of Averill's cavalry, advanced on that road and engaged Vaughan's and W. L Jackson's cavalry brigades, about four miles from Winchester. Gen. Ramseur moved the division down the road to meet the advancing foe, and, arriving on the field, was in the act of forming his line of battle when some of Vaughan's cavalry broke and rushed through the line .-Immediately the enemy fired a heavy voiley noto the half formed troops, when the 57th North Carolina regiment, of Hoke's old brigade, now commanded by Gen. Lewis, broke, followed by the 54th North Carolina, of the same brigade, then by the entire brigade, and Johnson's next followed suit, and finally Per gram's brigade, commanded by Gen. Lilly, after a short resistance, (which however, did much good in delaying and checking the enemy.) fell back, sharing in the general chofusion. Some of Pegram's and Johnson's brigade skirmishers halted, and, by a show of resistance, checked the pursuit of the ene-

A portion of Vaugham's brigade by a timely charge upon a squadron of Yankee cavalry, saved a considerable. number of the refugees from capture.

Our loss in this unfortunate affair was about 3000 killed, wounded and captured, besides Kirkpatrisk's battery of artillery, of four

Most of the men were rallied at the old fortifications, about two miles from town, and the enemy satisfied with their unexpectedly easy success did not renew the attack.

The reasons assigned for this disaster are two: First, the troops were marched up too near the rapidly advancing line of the enemy before the line o' battle was formed. Indeed, one brigade (Fegram's, did not get into position at all. The skirmishers were not thrown sufficiently forward to check the enemy so as to allow us to form our line of battle before he was upon us. Iu fact, the line should have been formed half a mile back and then marched up to the desired position in line of battle. Nothing is more calculated to inspire confidence in troops than to see themselves marching steadily up to battle in good order and with a well dressed line, while nothing so tends to demoralize, as the confusion attendant upon an attempt to form in great haste, or under fire and the feeling that they are not ready for the fight.

The loss of the battery is generally attributed to bad management, in sending it even in from of the infantry and within two hundred vards of the enemy before unlimbering -They fired but a few shots before the enemy were upon them. Two caissons, alimber and some of the borses were saved.

But a considerable portion of blame attaches to the conduct of the troops themselves, for had the regiments which first gave way held their ground with any determination, the day would probably have been ours, as Pegram's brigade was coming into line upon their left, and our dispositions would then have been completed. The troops did not, in this instance, show that unflinching and prompt courage which has distinguised them upon other occasions. This, however, is, no doubt, partially owing to the fact that they were not prepared, many of the guns (in Pegram's brigade all) being unloaded.

Gens. Lilly and Lewis, both gallant offi cers, were wounded, and the former fell into the hands of the enemy. Col. Bode, of the 58th Virginia infantry, was killed. Lient. Ridgeway, of Gen Ramseur's staff, was severely wounded. Capt. Randolph, who has specially distinguished himself by his gallantry, skill and success in the management of the division skirmish line, was also wounded. We are pleased to learn that his wound is not Berious.

On the 21st, our troops fell back to a point about two and a half miles from this place, and are now in line of battle at that point; but it is very doubtful whether any general engagement will take place.

It would be idle, as well as manifestily improper, to speculate upon the future movements of this army; but you may rest assured that no great disaster will befall it under its present able leader. It is due to him to say that the engagement at Winchester took place in his absence and without his order. SOLDAT.

#### New Advertisements. WANTED TO PURCHASE.

GOOD FIELD HAND, male or female, be-A tween eighteen and twenty-five years old. Apply to JAMES M. TOWLES, auctioneer, Raleigh. [july 29-11. [ july 29-1t\*

\$50 REWARD.

MY boy MACK has runaway. He left on Sunday evening last. I will give the above reward for his apprehension and delivery to me. Mack is about 19 years old, black complexion, weighs about 140 pounds, five feet three inches high. He may endeavor to make his way to the neighborhood of George W. Thomps n's, as his mother belongs to the estate of Peleg S. Rogers. july 29-tf JOHN O'RORKE.

# Trinity College.

THE next session will commence on the 7th of September next. Tuttion from eight to ten dollars per month, in advance. Board, one hun-dred dollars per month, payable monthly, in ad-vance; or, about eight dollars per-month, it paid in provisions at peace prices. There are small extra charges for washing and room rent. Students are requested to bring all the fext-books they may be able to procure.

W. T. GANNAWAY.

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# TELEGRAPHIC.

REPORTS OF THE PRESS ASSOCIATION.

Entered eccording to act of Congress in the year 1863, by S. Thrashen, in the Clerk's office of the District Court of the Confederate States for the Northern District of Georgia.

Election Returns by Telegraph.

PETERSBURG, July 28.—Editors Confederate: First Cavalry, 420 for Vance; nary one for hat 'tother nav! Barringer's Cavalry Brigade.—Vance, 959

majority:

Kineton.—Vance, 557, Holden, 25, with several companies to hear from.

Goldsboro'.—Vance, 182; Holden, 2.

Wilson.—Vance, 134; Holden, 1.

Greensboro'.—Vance, 36,. Holden, none.

Twenty-fifth N. C. Reg't.—Vance, 313; Holden,

Cumming's Battery.—Vance. 26; Holden, none. Rowan Artillery.—Vance, 157; Holden, none. Fayetteville Armory Vote.—Vance, 133; Hol-

Lexington Army Vote.—Vance, 92; Helden, 4. Dickson's Battery.—Vance, 96; Holden, none. Kittrell Hospital.—Vance, 58; Holden, 2. Weldon and vicinity .- Vance, 153; Holden, I.

LYNCHBURG, July 28.—The following is the aggregate vote of the North Carolina soldiers in the hospital here: For Governer Vance, 242, Holden, 18. Aggregate of the vote received: Vance, 3,778; Holden, 199. Vance's majority, 3,579.

#### Good News From General Early.

RICHMOND, July 28.—A special this evening to the Whig, dated Harrisonburg, July 28th, says—Our forces met the enemy near Winchester on Sunday afterneon. Breckinridge, Gordon's division, chiefly engaged the former and led the skirmish line. The enemy soon broke and fled in all directions. We pursued them to Bunker Hill, twelve miles below Winchester, capturing fifteen hundred to two thousand prisoners. The enemy burnt their wagons, and threw their guns and knapsacks away. It was a worse stampede rout than the first Manassas. The victory was completo. Prisoners are still coming in. Our less in killed and wounded not more than fifty or sixty —only ten to fifteen killed. The force of the enemy is estimated at sixteen thousand.

From the Army of Northern Virginia. RICHMOND, July 28 - Public interest is again directed to the north side of James river, below Deep Bottom, by the presence of a large portion of Garant's army, sent over for the supposed pur-pose of preventing field batteries firing on transports. Yesterday morning, under cover of a feg. a force of yankees flanked and captured four guns of the Rockbridge artillery. During the past two or three days sharp skirmishing has taken place. Active operations in that quarter anticipated.

From Petersburg.

PETERSUURG, July 28.—A telegram from General Early states, that the yankees have re-treated across the Potomac at Williamsport, burning over two hundred wagons and abardening twelve caissons. Our forces hold Monterey. The yankees retreated in great disorder.

Nothing new on the North side of the James, save the fact that the enemy are on the Charles City Road. Every thing is stagnant in front. . The enemy came upon one of our brigades unexpectedly, yesterday, on the north side of James river, causing them to give back hastily; in doing which, four ricces of our artillery fell into the enemy's bands.

Frem Hood's Army.

ATLANTA, July 25 .- The ener tempt last night to break our lines, but was repulsed by Cheatham, after a conflict of an hour and a

During the day quiet has prevailed around the city; the only demonstration being occasional picket fring.

The Yankees opened with shell again upon the city, shelling for an hour with some vigor. No notice of their intention to shell the city was given, to enable the women and children to be removed to places of safety. This barbarous viola-tion of the usages of civilized warfare, only enabled him to murder a few non-combatants. Most of the shells come from twenty-pounder parrott guns on the line west of Atlanta, with an occasional missile from another gun east of the city.

The gallant operations of Wednesday and Friday last, seems to have impressed the Yankees with a wholesome desire to strengthen their flank,

which they are new doing. Their display of rocket signals this evening has been brilliant, indicating some movement on their part.

Northern News.

. MeBILE, July 28.—A special dispatch to the Register, says the Memphis Argus, of the 24th, says Thornton's regiment is at Prattsburg, Missouri. Refugees represent him moving north-ward tewards the Hamilton and St. Joseph railroad. His force is estimated at two thousand, and rapidly increased by accessions from the people. The rebels are threatening Fort Scott. Five thousand of Price's men are supposed in Mis-

Stanton has not resigned. Semmes has not been demanded. Sherman claims a victory on the 20th, and five thousand prisoners. Five thou-Lincoln's return to entertain passe proposi-tions, is reported to have a damaging effect on have election. Henderson, Kentucky, is fined by guerillas. The fight is going on.

A dispatch from Georgia, says Governor Brown has ordered all aliens in the State, and all Confederate detailed soldiers, into the army for the defence of the State in the present emergency.

# New Advertisements.

TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS REWARD. Ranaway, from the subscriber, on the 7th July, 1864, my negro boy ORMAN, seventeen years of age, five feet five inches high, weighs 132 pounds, complexion dark snuff; had on when he left a new pair of copperas-colored pants, a new shirt, gray cap, and was barefooted. Said boy formerly belonged to Col. Clark, of Newbern, but has been living in the counties of Alamance and Guilford since the commencement of the war. He has a wife living at Graham, and will probably be found lurking in that vicinity. He intimated to the balance of the negroes, some weeks age, that he intended to go to the Yankees, and will, perhaps, try to make his way to them.

The above reward of two bundred dollars will be given for the confinement or delivery of said

negre, so that the subscriber can get him.
Address,
july 29-dtf Gibsonville, Guilford Co., N. C.

CYOLUNTEERS for the defence of the city, will meet on the Capitol Square at half-past six,

By order of the Captain. M. A. BLEDSOE, O. S. THE following Rules were submitted and unanimously adopted by the members in attendance at the drill, July 23d, 1864:

Saturday afternoon.

the drill, July 23d, 1864:

The undersigned, appointed by the Captain to draft rules to secure punctual attendance on the part of all the members of the "Volunteer Company for the Defence of the City of Raleigh," respectfully report the following:

1st. It is the duty of every member to attend all drills, and meetings of the company for other purposes, that shall be ordered by the commanding officer. A fine of five dellars shall be imposed upon each and every member failing thus to attend without valid excase.

2d. A court martial, consisting of an efficer.

2d. A court martial, consisting of an efficer, mon-commissioned officer and private, to be appointed by the commanding officer of the company, shall be convened at such time and place as he shall direct, to try the validity of excuses that shall be rendered by members failing to attend meetings of the company; also for the trial of other offences of which members may be guilty.

3d. The fines collected from derelict members stall, after defraying the incidents expenses of shall, after defraying the incidenta expenses of the company, if any, be put into the hands of the Seldiers' Relief Society of the city, for the benefit of the sick and wounded in the hospitals.

Respectfully reported,
R. H. BATTLE, Ja., 2d Serg't,
GED. W. MORDECIA, Serg't,
THOS. BRAGG, Private.
Raleigh, July 16th, 1864.